



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5

77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD

CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

OCT 15 2009

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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Phillip Shopodock, Chairman
Forest County Potawatomi Community
P.O. Box 340
Crandon, Wisconsin 54520

Dear Chairman Shopodock:

I am writing to inform you that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has received from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality additional materials (enclosed) regarding the Mancelona Renewable Resources LLC. On April 1, 2009, we sent you the permit application for this source, dated December 2008. The project is for the installation of a 36 megawatt wood-fired power plant in Mancelona, Michigan. Mancelona is approximately 310 kilometers east of Crandon, Wisconsin.

As previously stated, as soon as EPA received a draft permit, we will forward that to you. If you have any questions about the materials, or wish to further discuss any concerns you may have with this project, please feel free to contact me or Laura Cossa of my staff, at (312) 886-0661.

Sincerely,

Pamela Blakley

Pamela Blakley, Chief
Air Permits Section

Enclosures

cc: Natalene Cummings, Air Quality Specialist
Forest County Potawatomi Community